

GUARD U. S. FROM BIG FOREST FIRES

Augmented Corps of Fighters Especially Vigilant During Dry Season.

MANY AGENCIES HELP

Weather Bureaus Take Hand in Work While Phones Are Great Aids.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.—Ranger vigilance is the order of the day throughout the forest service in all the western states in which there are national forests. Because August and September are rated the critical time when forest fires are most numerous and destructive. These are the driest months of the year on the Pacific slope and in consequence the rains and brush in the forests are tinder dry and offer the least resistance to fire.

Throughout the dry season, which began in about April and extends through the early part of November, according to the estimate of the different states, the forest service, of the department of agriculture, increases its working forces until it has a host of men throughout the ranges even on the alert for fires. These additional forces augment the regular ranger force which is on duty the year around.

Each day and night these large forces of Uncle Sam's are wakened and watchful to detect the dread element that annually causes vast damage to forest and to property of settlers, and thus results in an enormous waste that must be kept to the least possible figure. At night time the reflection of the flames makes detection easier than during the daylight hours when a thin wisp of smoke at a not easily determined point is all that may herald a disastrous blaze.

Service Country Well

These vigilant guardians of the national forests serve their country with as much fidelity as do the regulars and volunteers on the Mexican border. Frequently, in the midst of a serious forest conflagration, they risk their lives as frequently do the soldiers, but in a less spectacular

ECHOES

DOES anybody KNOW of an AUTOMOBILE owner WHO does not BELIEVE his car IS the best in THE world? (Home)

Summer fighting a forest fire has been the experience of millions that a forest ranger of infinite courage that results in the capture of an enemy trench.

Stretching in every direction from the central ranger stations are miles of telephone and telegraph wires that are used in time of danger to mobilize the fire fighting army. Once the call has been made they come from every direction prepared to combat the common enemy. Frequently these fires occur within a short distance from small villages and towns and then the problem becomes more complex in that the homes once aflame are extinguished with greater difficulty.

Weather Men Help

Recently the weather bureaus in all the states have begun lending a hand in preventing forest fires. Reports of the direction of winds, whether strong or light, are daily sent to the forest service in the various districts for distribution. The probability of rain or continued dryness also form the subject of weather bureau bulletins to the service.

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HUGHES ADDRESS PLEASES PARTY

Chief Value Was That It Gave People of America Picture of the Man.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The Republican National Association through its president, Hon. Jonathan Bourne, Jr., today gave out the following statement at its Washington headquarters: "The chief value of the Hughes speech of acceptance lies not so much in the information it contains as in the picture and impression it gives the American people of the man behind the speech. In the coming election as never before we shall vote for men, not words. In the three years just past we have learned the futility of voting for empty promises. We have had a demonstration of the uselessness of empty promises backed only by a weak and vacillating personality. The American voter today is reading between the lines to find the quality of the man, and when he reads the Hughes speech he was impressed with the sincerity, the dignity and the stability of the speaker."

It was a straightforward statement of facts and discussion of issues, without any of that impulsive extravagance of utterance which has so often led Mr. Wilson into humiliating reactions and reversals. There was no play to the galleries. It was the thought, the feeling and the language of the statesman, rather than of the mere politician. It was gratifying and encouraging, therefore, to those millions of Americans who have become tired of speeches made merely to catch votes and who earnestly desire the head of this nation a man who will represent sound economic policies at home and who will maintain the rights and prestige of the United States and its citizens in every land and on every sea."

LEGISLATIVE RACE WATCHED BY MANY

Prominent Men Write to Glenn Condon, Congratulating Him on Outlook.

That the legislative race in Tulsa county is being watched with interest in many points outside the county is indicated by the large number of letters received by Glenn Condon, who with Harry H. Rogers, was nominated for state representative at the primary last Tuesday.

Tom Testerman of Morrison, Okla., who was minority floor leader in the fifth Oklahoma legislature, wrote Mr. Condon as follows:

"Congratulations upon your nomination for representative, which means that Tulsa county will have a live one in the next legislature."

Col. J. Gordon Whitehead, war correspondent with the Oklahoma troops on the Mexican border, writes that all the boys in the regiment were glad to see the results of the primary in Tulsa county.

"I watched the race with interest," says Colonel Whitehead, "and we all feel down here that you will be elected, and that you will win for the sake of law rather than the passage of new measures."

Colonel Whitehead is a Democrat. Another typical letter received by Condon came from Victor M. Lewis, Jr., governor of the Choctaw Nation, who writes as follows from his executive office at Antlers, Okla.

"Dear Condon—The big duties announce your nomination to the legislature in the Republican primaries. Congratulations, and here's hoping you win in the general election."

New telephone directories will go to press August 22. All requests for changes and advertising should be made before that date. Pioneer Tel. & Tel. Co.—Adv.

FLOOD REFUGEES EATING CORN TO KEEP ALIVE

PORTLAND, Ala., Aug. 7.—More than a thousand starving people in South Green county have been reduced to eating the sour green corn left by receding flood waters. Application has been made to every service that remotely promises a hope of aid, but these so far have been met with the suggestion that something be done locally. Conditions in the country are exceptional. It lies in the works of the Tombigbee and Black Warrior rivers and the entire country was submerged. The crops are a total loss. The inhabitants are without credit and without food. The farmers are unable to feed the negroes and the lands are too wet to be worked.

LINCOLN COUNTY WANTS TOWN RULE

Will Vote to Abolish Ineffective System Shunted on Community by Governor.

Special to The World.

CHANDLER, Okla., Aug. 7.—When the 1915 legislature abolished township government in Lincoln county and shunted that task upon the board of county commissioners a great deal of dissatisfaction was manifested among the farmers. However, they decided to open the new deal a year before attempting a fight. At this time they have fully decided that the new order of business does not suit them. It is some of the people here, and a petition is being circulated praying that the following question be referred to the voters of the county at the general election in November: "Shall the township organization and government be restored and re-established in Lincoln county as it existed prior to abolition of same by article of chapter 25, Session Laws 1915?"

In order to get this matter properly before the voters it is necessary, first, that a petition be drawn and presented to the secretary of the county election board for his approval. Then the petition is circulated. After the required number of signatures is secured, the secretary of the county election board again passes upon the sufficiency of the petition. If it has his approval the question will go before the voters at the first general election.

It is the consensus of opinion that if the question is submitted in Lincoln county the new order of township government will be abolished by an overwhelming majority.

Lincoln county will be the first to refer this matter to the voters.

FIVE JURORS FOR SLAYER OF NURSE

Speedy Justice Expected for Negro Who Admits Brutal Crime At Dallas.

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 7.—Five prospective jurors to try Houston Wig, negro, self confessed murderer of Miss Zola Cramer, March 26 last, had been examined at noon today. A special venire of one hundred and fifty names was on hand.

While there were no signs of violence, a guard of 15 uniformed policemen were noticed sitting near the prisoner.

Wilson Pilot on Deck.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, who is to direct the western campaign of President Wilson, arrived today and opened his headquarters in the same hotel as Chairman Wilcox of the Hughes Republican national committee.

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NEW YORK, N. Y., Aug. 7.—Fred M. (Feghorn) Clancy of Tulsa, Okla., is official announcer at the Stampede, the big western carnival now in progress at Sheephead Bay. Clancy came here last week with a part of cowboys and cowgirls from the Frontier days celebration at Cheyenne, Wyo. Guy Weadick, manager of the stampede, contracted for his services. The stampede ends next Saturday. Riders and riders from all over the world are contesting for the \$25,000 in gold that is offered as prizes to the winners. World championships in all western sports will be decided.

SOME NEW USES FOR SALT.

Now Important in Surgical Operations.

The preservative, the cleansing and the soothing effects of salt have been known for ages. To this extent and with some recognition of existing practices, the use of saline solutions in British military hospitals, noted in a recent cable dispatch, is now new. The interesting points are in the evolution of salt to the position of a sole healing agent, and in the method of application by a constant stream which, in a single flowing, washes the wounds, guards it from infection and contributes healing power.

An ancient and common household article thus supplants, after the initial disinfecting, the highly scientific antiseptic appliances of the day.

This elaboration of an old remedy recalls to mind the medical stir which followed in 1901 the publication from the University of Chicago, by Dr. Jacques Loeb and Prof. D. J. Lingle of the theory that a solution of common salt in the blood, neutralized by calcium and possibly potassium salt solutions, was the cause of the rhythmic beating of the heart. All doctors recede to mind the medical stir which followed the new proposition admitted the physiological importance of salt and its ability, after hemorrhage, to supply the deficiency in circulation until new blood is made.

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